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\*Software\* inaccurate usage preventing method in internet - involves generating \*serial\* \*number\* of \*hard\* \*disk\* for \*software\* and is added with correct function for judging, which stops operation of \*software\*

when handled by other users

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Abstract (Basic): JP 11212783 A

NOVELTY - When a \*serial\* \*number\* of \*hard\* \*disk\* is computed for a \*software\* in accordance with password, correct function for judging of \*software\* is also added. Thus, when the \*software\* is handled other than the user, the \*software\* stops operating normally and thus inaccurate usage of \*software\* can be prevented.

USE - For preventing inaccurate usage of \*software\* by using password produced at that element in internet etc.

ADVANTAGE - The unjust usage of \*software\* can be prevented by generating password equal to the number of \*hard\* \*disk\*.

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Preventing \*software\* duplication

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Abstract (Basic): RD 420127 A

NOVELTY - The \*software\* needs a coded key for it to be installed, the key being created by running a utility at the target PC. \*Hard\*

\*disk\* drive descriptive information including the \*serial\* \*number\* is passed to the supplier who supplies an algorithm to supply a coded key. USE - \*Hard\* \*disk\* drives.

ADVANTAGE - Prevents, or at least deters, unauthorised \*software\* duplication.

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Variation level identification method of CD-ROM disc used in computer Patent Assignee: DELL USA LP (DELL-N)

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Abstract (Basic): US 5893048 A

NOVELTY - The CD-ROM is inserted in the disc drive and spun to an identification speed. The disc \*serial\* \*number\* is identified from the table of contents and compared with the number stored in a file in memory to check if disc has been previously tested.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The tested data for vibration is stored in the \*hard\* \*disc\* drive or flash RAM of the system. If the disc is identified to be tested, the test data indicating speed of operation without noticeable vibration is searched. The text data is accessed by system \*software\*. The operating speed is communicated to disc drive that is controlled by a microcontroller. An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for vibration level testing system.

USE - For testing CD-ROM disc used in computer.

ADVANTAGE - Once the speed for disc is determined, the system will automatically operate the disc at that speed each time and bence time is saved.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows a flow chart illustrating the method for identifying vibration level.

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